

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

\$46,000.00 IN UNITED STATES  
CURRENCY,

Defendant.

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CONSENT TO EXERCISE OF  
JURISDICTION BY A UNITED  
STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
AND ORDER OF REFERENCE

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CONSENT TO EXERCISE OF JURISDICTION BY A UNITED STATES  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE

In accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 73, the parties in this case hereby voluntarily consent to have a United States magistrate judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including the trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Any appeal shall be taken to the United States court of appeal for this circuit.

Signature of Attorney or Party

Name of Party

Date

*[Signature]*

\$46,000.00, Defendant

8/29/06

For

James E. Thompson, Claimant

*[Signature]*

For

United States of America,

Plaintiff

8.30.06

For

For

ORDER OF REFERENCE

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this case be referred to the Honorable David L. Piester, United States Magistrate Judge, for all further proceedings and the entry of judgment in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 73 and the foregoing consent of the parties.

Date

9/8/06

*[Signature]*

RICHARD G. KOPF, United States District Judge

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